

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

In the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph located after the title but before the header
“Background of the Invention” as follows:

This application is a divisional application of U.S. Application No.
09/678,334 filed on October 3, 2000 (now U.S. Patent No. 6,633,527 B1
~~allowed~~), the entire contents of which are herein fully incorporated by reference.